REMARKS

Claims 1-4, 7-20, 22, and 24-28 are pending in this application. In the office action:

- claims 1-4, 11, 14-20, 22, and 24-28 were rejected under 35 U.S.C. § 103(a) as being unpatentable over the applicant's specification and U.S. Patent Application Publication No. 2002/0035605 (McDowell et al.) (office action. ¶¶ 9-23);
- 2) claims 12-13 were rejected under 35 U.S.C. § 103(a) as being unpatentable over U.S. Patent Application Publication No. 2002/0035605 (McDowell et al.), the applicant's specification, and U.S. Patent Application Publication No. 2002/008968 (Olsson) (office action. ¶ 24-26); and
- 3) claims 7-10 were rejected under 35 U.S.C. § 103(a) as being unpatentable over the applicant's specification, U.S. Patent Application Publication No. 2002/0035605 (McDowell et al.), and U.S. Patent No. 2002/008968 (Oisson) (office action, ¶ 27-31).

Claims 1-28 have been cancelled and new claims 29-31 are presented. Reconsideration is respectfully requested.

Prior Art Rejections under § 103

The newly presented claims distinguish over the art of record. The combination of steps in the method and the combination of the elements of the home database server and the home location privacy server are not disclosed, taught, or suggested by the references. For at least this reason, the claims are neither anticipated nor rendered obvious by the art. Furthermore,

notwithstanding the rejections set forth above, the applicant's application does not disclose, teach, or suggest the claimed invention.

Conclusion

The applicant believes that he has responded to all of the issues raised in the office action and submits that all of the pending claims are allowable. Thus, it is respectfully requested that the examiner pass the application to allowance. The examiner is invited to call the undersigned or Brian K. Johnson, Esq., Nokia Siemens Networks, tel. 732-321-3017, if there are any questions concerning the application.

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